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**TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
HEALTH RELATED BOARDS
MEMORANDUM**

Date: September 14, 2016
To: Woody McMillin, Director of Communications and Media Relations
From: Kimberly Hodge, Massage Board Manager
Name of Board or Committee: Tennessee Massage Licensure Board
Date of Meeting: October 24, 25, & 26, 2016
Time: 9:00 a.m., Central Time
Place: Iris Room
665 Mainstream Drive
Nashville, TN 37243

Link to Live Video Stream: **October 24, 2016 Link**

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October 25, 2016 Link

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October 26, 2016 Link

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Major Item(s) on Agenda:

1. Review and approve the minutes from the August 8, 9, 2016 meeting.
2. Receive reports and/or requests from the Office of General Counsel
 - a. Contested Cases
 - b. Consent Orders

- c. Agreed Orders
- d. Agreed Citations
- e. Orders of Compliance
- f. Request for Order Modification

3. Receive reports and/or requests from the Director/Manager
4. Receive reports and/or requests from the Division of Health Licensure and Regulation
5. Receive reports and/or requests from the Office of Investigations
6. Receive reports and/or requests from the Disciplinary Coordinator
7. Review, approve/deny, and ratify new licensure files
8. Review, approve/deny, and ratify Agreed Citations for continuing education violations and lapsed licenses
9. Applicant Review
10. Discuss and take action if needed regarding rulemaking hearings, rule amendments, and policies. **Please note that a Rulemaking Hearing will be held on October 24, 2016 at 9:00 am in the Iris Room.**
11. Discuss legislation and take action if needed
12. Ratify approved continuing education courses
13. Review board correspondence
14. Review approval requests for continuing education courses and providers
15. Consider requests for continuing education waivers.
16. Quarterly update from the Tennessee Professional Assistance Program.
17. Discuss and take action on school approvals and /or program changes if necessary.
18. Discuss and take action if necessary on Tennessee participating in the Pilot program of the Massage Therapy Licensing Database (MTLD) for the Federation of State Massage Boards.
19. Review and consider adopting a policy regarding Online Core Curriculum.
20. Discussion of contested case process and the Board resolving conflicting evidence, making credibility judgements, and explaining their reasoning.
21. Discuss and consider TnPAP's online substance abuse webinar being approved for continuing education hours for all massage therapists.
22. Adjournment

NOTE: Any business not concluded on Monday, October 24, 2016 will be conducted on Tuesday, October 25, 2016 and Wednesday October 26, 2016.

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